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LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required to Complete This Page

1. Registrant Name ☒ Organization/Lobbying Firm ☐ Self Employed Individual

The Nickles Group, LLC

2. Address ☐ Check if different than previously reported

Address1 601 13th St. NW

Address2 Suite 250 N

City Washington

State DC

Zip Code 20005

Country USA

3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)

City

State

Zip Code

Country

4a. Contact Name

b. Telephone Number

c. E-mail

☐ International Number

Ms. STACEY HUGHES

(202) 637-0214

5. Senate ID#

293335-1001390

7. Client Name

☐ Self

☐ Check if client is a state or local government or instrumentality

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6. House ID#

373380031

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2009 Q1 (1/1 - 3/31) ☐ Q2 (4/1 - 6/30) ☐ Q3 (7/1-9/30) ☒ Q4 (10/1 - 12/31) ☐

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report ☐

10. Check if this is a Termination Report ☐ Termination Date 11. No Lobbying Issue Activity ☒

INCOME OR EXPENSES - YOU MUST complete either Line 12 or Line 13

12. Lobbying

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$5,000 ☐

\$5,000 or more ☒

\$ 60,000.00

Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$10,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).

13. Organizations

EXPENSE relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:

Less than \$5,000 ☐

\$5,000 or more ☐

\$

14. REPORTING

Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

☐ Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only

☐ Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code

☐ Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature 

Digitally Signed By: Stacey Hughes

Date 10/19/2009

Printed Name and Title Stacey Hughes, Partner

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide information as requested. Add additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code

HCR

Health Issues

(one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 1427 / S. 726, Promoting Innovation and Access to Life Saving Medicine Act. H.R. 1548, Pathways for Biosimilars Act. H.R. 3200, America's Affordable Health Choices Act / "America's Healthy Future Act" (unnumbered Senate bill), as they pertain to reimbursement for prescription drugs.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies

☐ Check if None

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U.S. SENATE

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Stacey	Hughes		U.S. Senate Budget Committee, Dpty. Staff Dir.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Doug	Badger		Deputy Assistant to the President for Leg. Affairs	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above

☒ Check if None

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15. General issue area code

MMM

Medicare/Medicaid

(one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

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15. General issue area code

CPT

Copyright/Patent/Trademark

(one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 515 / S. 610 / H.R. 1260, Patent Reform Act of 2009, all issues related to patent reform.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies ☐ Check if None

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First Name	Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Cynthia	Merifield Tripodi		U.S. Senator Don Nickles, Legislative Assistant	<input type="checkbox"/>
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